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I thought Eric had clarified that these data were collected and analyzed consistent with LWG data quality rules and that they should be classified as QA2Cat1. I'll dig through my emails but perhaps Eric will weigh in.

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Corinne Severn wrote:

> Rob -
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> The conversion of the US Govt Moorings data is complete with the
> exception of the chemical classification "Chemcat" (as I have
> mentioned in several of our prior emails).
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> The Downtown Portland Sediment Characterization 99% complete. We
> just need to append it to our master database and Integral has
> provided the chemical classification.
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> The other studies made available by Integral via the web portal are
> 80% complete. We need to calculate some of the chemical sums. This
> data set includes the Willamette Falls (Blue Heron) study.
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> As mentioned above, to complete the US Govt Moorings data we need to
> assign a "ChemCat" classification for this study. Many of the
> previous codes were assigned by Integral/Stiplin. Previous codes used
> in the database are as follows:
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> Cat1 (used for some of the historical studies)
> Cat2 (used for some of the historical studies)
> NA (used for Columbia Slough and Lower W.R. Reference study)
> NACat1
> NACat2
> QA1Cat1 (used for many of the historical studies)
> QA1Cat2 (used for many of the historical studies)
> QA2Cat1 (this code used for many Round 1, Round 2, and Round 3 data sets).
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> Unless I am told otherwise, I will assign a code of NACat1 so
> that this study becomes part of the "Nature and Extent" data set.
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> Thanks,
> Corinne
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